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From:

Latimer, Becky

Sent:

Tuesday, January 7, 2020 3:30 PM

To: Subject:

2019-281-S

Dear John Higgins,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your Letter of Protest/Comments to the Public Service Commission of South Carolina. Your Letter of Protest/Comments will be placed in the Protest File of the Docket listed below and on the Commission's Website at <a href="www.psc.sc.gov">www.psc.sc.gov</a>.

 <u>Docket No. 2019-281-S</u> - Application of Palmetto Utilities, Incorporated for Adjustment (Increase) of Rates and Charges, Terms and Conditions, for Sewer Service Provided to Customers in Its Richland and Kershaw County Service Areas

A Protestant is an individual objecting on the ground of private or public interest to the approval of an Application, Petition, Motion or other matters which the Commission may have under consideration. A Protestant may offer sworn testimony but cannot cross-examine witnesses offered by other parties.

According to the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, filing a Protest does not make you a Party of Record. A Protestant desiring to become an Intervenor (i.e., a Party of Record) in a proceeding before the Commission may file a Petition for Intervention within the time prescribed by the Commission.

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Docket No. 2019-281-S - Application of Palmetto Utilities, Incorporated for Adjustment (Increase) of Rates and Charges, Terms and Conditions, for Sewer Service Provided to Customers in Its Richland and Kershaw County Service Areas <a href="https://dms.psc.sc.gov/Web/Dockets/Detail/117238">https://dms.psc.sc.gov/Web/Dockets/Detail/117238</a>

If we may be of further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely, Becky Latimer

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## Latimer, Becky

From:

Easterling, Deborah

Sent:

Tuesday, January 7, 2020 2:50 PM

To:

Latimer, Becky

Subject:

FW: [External] 01062020...PSC Website Comments: proposed rate increase...

From: John Higgins

**Sent:** Tuesday, January 7, 2020 1:08 PM **To:** PSC\_Contact <Contact@psc.sc.gov>

Subject: [External] 01062020...PSC Website Comments: proposed rate increase...

To whom this may concern;

Regarding Docket #2019-281-S

The existing rate of \$52.10 should be reduced...NOT INCREASED...

My wife and I are on Social Security and have been empty nesters for more than 25 years, and we are paying what our neighbors with multiple children are paying for "SEWER SERVICE"...ABSURD...

How about a senior flat rate of \$50.00 in perpetuity, and paying households according to population...after all, what exactly are we paying to have done?????????

Bottom line, not NO, but HELL NO!! To this rediculess request.

Please respond so we know this is not your digital file 13...

John and Norma Higgins

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